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25X1 8. [] Met with Mr. Charles E. Johnson, Staff Director, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee, who advised that conversations with the Manpower and Civil Service Subcommittee Chairman, as well as others, had failed to identify any particular interest in consideration, during the remainder of this year of S. 1035. In response to my question, Mr. Johnson advised that it would be well, in his judgment, as an appropriate time for us to meet with Representative Henderson, the Chairman; and Mr. Gross, as well as Mr. Bun Bray, the Staff Director of the Subcommittee.

25X1 9. [] Met with Mr. Philip Kelleher, and received from him a news item relating to the death of former Vice President Amer of Egypt, and an article by Keith Kyle entitled Plot and Counter-Plot, outlining certain CIA activities in the Congo. These are items on which possible questions of members will be based for the next Subcommittee meeting. These will be forwarded to []

Reviewed S. 1035 in some detail with Mr. Kelleher. He had very few questions but appreciated being brought up to date. 25X1

25X1 10. [] Met with Mr. John R. Blandford, Staff Director, House Armed Services Committee, and gave him a brief outline of S. 1035 for his use with Chairman Rivers. The outline sets forth the Senate action together with a brief analysis of the key provisions of the bill.

25X1 11. [] In response to a request received from Miss Gertrude Cleary, Secretary to Senator Eugene McCarthy (D., Minn.), delivered to the Senator's office a current map of Vietnam.

25X1 12. [] In response to his request earlier in the day for information concerning the number of reserve forces in the People's Liberation Army of China, met with Mr. Scott Cohen, Assistant to Senator Charles Percy (R., Ill.). After discussion with Mr. Cohen, he advised that the material being prepared for the Senator would state in effect, that in addition to the People's Liberation Army, there is a militia, which is established on a local defense basis, of several million people.

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